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SELECT STORY.

A WIFE'S LETTER.

THE LOVER AND THE HUSBAND.

On the evening of the 29th of May, 1867, at about 7 o'clock, two men entered the "Dog and Magpie" Inn, some ten miles from London, on the old turnpike leading into the city from Middlesex centre.

The inn was a stopping place for the farmers as well as commercial travelers on their way into and going from the city; a snug, old-fashioned house, two-storied, and one of the few still sound and substantial relics of the coaching days of a former period.

In front of the door was the customary wayfarers' bench, and a little further off toward the road were the pump and the long watering trough. On what was termed the "London end" of the inn, separated from it by a small courtyard, were the stables with their long shelter shed.

From a wooden arm at the summit of a post planted near the horse-trough, and beside a stepping-block, swung the old sign, bearing on each side the weather-worn and then almost colorless painting of what the painter, twenty years before, had designed as an exceedingly fierce bull-dog and a very black and affective magpie; beneath were the name of the landlord, "John Ransome," and the word "inn."

The custom of the inn, however, at this time had dwindled to scarcely a quarter of its former extent: its halting travelers were few, and its regular patrons were chiefly the small farmers of the neighborhood and the loungers of the village.

John Ransome, turned 60, his wife, ten years his junior, a kitchen servant, a bar-maid—the latter more sprightly and intelligent than the average of her class—the hostler and stable-boy, completed the household.

The kitchen servant was Mary Elderkin; the bar-maid, Jenny Marten; the hostler, George Tompkins.

John Ransome, the landlord, still hale and hearty, on the evening in question, was sitting in the bar, and near him, on a low stool, sat Jenny, who served the guests.

There were in the room some half dozen farmers, drinking ale, and with the gravity of statesmen and the usual knowledge of yokels, discussing crops, and politics and the work of Parliament, at the moment when the two men came in.

One was tall, middle-aged, well-clad, and had the appearance of a well-to-do tradesman; the other was broad-shouldered, muscular, rather roughly dressed, with a by no means prepossessing cast of countenance. His hair was red, and cut short, and his beard a sort of rough, uncleanly-looking stubble.

The two men seated themselves at one of the three tables of the room and called for drinks, both of them demanding "goes" of brandy. The bar-maid in serving them noticed that their faces were already considerably flushed, and that the shorter man of the two had what she termed "an ugly, quarrelsome look"—the look of a man who would knock a man on the head for a "penny 'orth of gin."

The two men sat at the table nearly an hour conversing in a low tone, and appeared to be on very friendly terms. The two or three farmers and the loungers had one after another departed, and the new-comers had the room to themselves.

Presently the taller of the two arose, and asked Ransome if he could give them lodgings for the night, as they didn't care to "tramp it into London so late at night."

They paid their score and were shown into a bedroom directly over the barroom, a small but snugly-furnished apartment, principally occupied by a huge, high-post bedstead, which looked as if it had been built in the age of Queen Anne.

The bar-maid showed them to the room, and placing the candle upon the little table at the foot of the bed and pausing upon the threshold of the door, asked:

"What time shall you be called?"

"We'll call ourselves when we want to get up," was the gruff answer of the shorter guest.

The girl closed the door and descended to the bar.

At 4 o'clock in the morning the short man, who had given his name as James Barton, entered the bar. Only the hostler and the stable-boy were up.

"See here," said Barton. "Tell the landlord when he gets up that he's not to rouse my friend, Tom Ashton."

"Yes, sir," was the reply of the hostler.

The man went out upon the road, walking rapidly, and was soon out of sight, going in the direction of London. The hostler said to himself, as he entered the inn quickly:

"That's a queer cove, and wouldn't be safe chap to travel with on a dark night."

"Blest if he don't walk as if Jack Ketch were ahind 'im," was the remark of the stable-boy.

The landlord, Ransome, was down at the bar at 7, the bar-maid having preceded him by an hour, and the daily routine of the house began.

At 9 o'clock the stranger, Thomas Ashton, not making any movement in the room overhead, the landlord feeling somewhat uneasy in reference to the early and hasty departure of the companion, sent his wife up to knock on the room and arouse him. She did so. There was no response. Then she tried the door and found it unlocked.

"He must have been sound asleep when his friend went out," she thought as she pushed the door open and entered the little room. She spoke twice, thrice, as she stood near the threshold. One of the little square windows of the room was open—wide open.

There being no answer, she stepped out to the head of the stairs and called to her husband. He came up and went into the room, glanced about, then turned to the bedside. There lay the lodger Thomas Ashton—quiet enough. For he and death were one.

Ransome uttered a cry of horror, which was echoed by his wife. There, upon the bed, the lower limbs drawn up and the hands clenched, the face white and bloodless, the eyes glazed and staring, was all that was mortal of Thomas Ashton. His throat had been cut from ear to ear. In fact, the head seemed to be almost completely severed from the body. The sheets and clothing were soaked in the blood, which had ran from the ghastly wound in torrents.

The blood had not yet coagulated nor hardened into clots.

The hostler and the few people who were early patrons of the bar was summoned to behold the ghastly spectacle; the stable-boy was despatched to the village to secure the presence of a local police official and a Magistrate, and one neighbor mounted his horse and galloped to London to apprise the authorities of Scotland Yard of the awful occurrence.

Closer examination of the surroundings made by a Scotland Yard detective, revealed the fact that the murderer had very thoroughly searched the room. The dead man's pockets were turned inside out; there was nothing found, not a scrap of paper or personal trinket left to aid in the identification of the victim, or in making known his history or family relations.

The remains were tenderly cared for, and, after the usual inquest and verdict were had, were deposited temporarily in the little churchyard vault almost within sight of the inn. But the afternoon of the day upon which the crime was committed the hostler came into the bar where the crowd was assembled holding in his hand a letter crumpled and somewhat soiled.

"I found n'under 'e winder o' the poor man's room, sur," he said, as he handed it to the detective, "'twas on the groun' damp like."

It proved to be a letter addressed to Thomas Ashton. The handwriting was that of a woman. It was torn partly in two. It read thus:

"I shall never live with you again. I hate you and do love him. Are you mean enough to force yourself upon a woman who will not love you, who loathes your presence and prefers happiness in the arms of another to misery with you? By law I am your wife, but all the laws on earth nor all your money can't make me live with you. I have endured you long enough. The blow you struck me on Saturday last sealed your fate with me. If I had had a knife I would have then cut your throat with as little remorse as I will yet be revenged for it. A wronged woman's vengeance is more terrible and immovable in its purpose than you dream of. You have laughed at my threats again and again, but you will scoff at them never more. In the arms of my lover—as you term him—I forget the miserable past of my life.

DELIA.

Did this letter furnish a clue to the Scotland Yard official?

"The murderer, it may be, was this woman's lover, and she has contrived with him to kill her husband," was the landlord's theory.

The official took the letter, and with as accurate a description of the supposed assassin, James Barton, as he could get, returned to London.

A search for the murderer was at once instituted. So far as could be ascertained by inquiry, he had not been seen on the road after the hostler lost sight of him. His description was sent to all the leading cities of England, and London was searched as thoroughly as possible.

It is is the unexpected which always happens. One day in passing through Little Oxford street, the detective saw turning the corner toward him a man dressed in the height of fashion, with a handsome young lady upon his arm.

A few steps nearer and the detective stopped short. There was the man he wanted—the short, broad-shouldered muscular man, with the scar over the sinister eye, the red hair, large ears, but with the face closely shaven. The woman was small, not more than 20, and upon her clear-cut features there was the expression of a determined, willful nature, and the dark eyes were those which are found in a woman of a hot and vengeful nature.

The officer passed them and then at a proper distance followed them. From one street to another, into Regent street, then at last into a quiet street which terminated in a small park known as Bloomsbury Terrace. Into one of a row of dwellings they entered. It bore the number 9. On the door was a silver plate bearing the name "Mrs. Cashton," and directly beneath the word "Lodgings."

"This is the lover and the wife who wrote that letter. He is the murderer; she his mistress. She, in her fever for revenge, incited the man to commit the crime," was the detective's theory.

He next day made inquiry of Mrs. Cashton as to her lodgers.

"They have been here nearly a month. They came here from Middlesex—ten miles beyond the city. They are very loving and quiet people. They seldom go out. The woman acts a little strange—nervous and hysterical at times—but I don't mind that as long as they pays regularly, which, so far, they has, and seems to have plenty of money. When he goes out alone, which isn't off'n, she is always fidgetty until he comes back. That's all I knows of 'em. They give their names as Coombs."

"This is my man—this is my letter-writer," mentally said the detective.

Two hours later the man and woman were under arrest, and their lodgings searched. Surely enough, there was in her trunks the evidence that she was the veritable Mrs. Ashton, the wife of the murdered man, and that her lover was James Barton.

They confessed that they were the parties so named, but that they had no hand in the murder of her husband Barton readily admitted that he was the same individual who had come to the inn with Ashton; had lodged with him, and had left at 4 o'clock and started off down the highway toward London; that he had never sought to conceal the fact until he read of the murder in the London papers; then he and Mrs. Ashton remained silent and secluded for the sake of keeping themselves and their criminal relations from being made public.

He stated that at that time Mrs. Ashton had left her husband, and had gone to this village just beyond the inn to live; that he (the lover) had followed her there at her request; that her husband had discovered her hiding place, had threatened her, and she had driven him from her presence.

Then he (Barton) met the husband and acceded to his desire to have a settlement of the affair.

"We walked on to the inn; sat down there, drank together, and finally retired together. In the room he prayed, implored me to go away; that he would forgive everything on account of his great love for his wife; he had 2000 pounds Bank of England notes in his pocket—he offered me these if I would leave the country and never return; that he would forward me more still. He showed me the letter you have, which he read to me; then, weeping over it, he threw it out of the window, tearing the paper as he did so. To quiet him I agreed to see her no more and to write a farewell letter to her advising her to live with him again.

"At 4 o'clock I arose. He was soundly sleeping. I dressed and silently left the room and started on the way toward London. The rest you know. As God is my Judge I did not murder Mr. Ashton."

Despite this statement James Barton was put on trial in the old Bailey, and the verdict of the jury was "guilty of murder."

He was remanded for sentence, sentenced, and the day of execution fixed. The woman was next to be tried as an accessory before the fact on account of the letter she had written.

Two days before the time appointed for the execution George Tompkins, the hostler—pallid, trembling in every limb and suffering from the goadings of conscience, half dead—lay on his cot in his sleeping place over the stable, and sending the stable-boy for his master, Ransome, confessed that he was the murderer of Mr. Ashton. He said he was sitting under the window on the bench when he heard Mr. Ashton say he had two thousand pounds; that then the temptation struck him to rob the guest; that when Barton left at 4 o'clock he saw his opportunity; he watched Barton until he was out of sight on the London road, then crept up stairs, entered the room, which he knew was unlocked, and while searching for the money in the sleeping man's clothes, the man awoke. Before he could rise or scarcely speak the hostler rushed upon him and cut his throat with his harness knife. Then he secured all the valuables in the clothing and left the room. The letter he had brought in fell at his feet while he was sitting on the bench, and he kept it until the afternoon on which he handed it to the detective. The money and valuables he secreted under one of the floor-boards of the stable where it was found.

Barton was released as was also the dead man's wife. The hostler was tried, convicted and executed August 17, 1867.

A Miniature Pittsburg.

A THRIFTY LITTLE MANUFACTURING CITY OF ALABAMA.

Birmingham, Ala., the Pittsburg of the south, now has a population of 11,358, against 4,036 in 1880. The assessed valuation of the property in the county has increased within the same period from $3,000,000 to $8,300,000. Three years ago there was but one furnace in the county, and the total output of pig iron for the state was 79,000 tons. There are now eight hot-blast coke furnaces in the county, five in Birmingham and the others close by, which will alone this year make no less than 350,000 tons of iron. Jefferson county thus makes over 200 per cent. more iron than did the whole state three years ago. In coal production it is even more remarkable. In 1880 Alabama produced 323,000 tons of coal. By the end of this year Jefferson county will have put out over 1,000,000 tons. This is an increase for this county of over 300 per cent. above the coal production of the state three years ago. The agricultural surroundings of "the magic city" are the poorest in the state. The 8,000 men now employed in mining and the manufacture of iron and incident industries tell the story of its growth. Building is brisk, real estate values steadily enhancing, a much needed sewerage system is in course of construction, and with the present railroad advantages and those which are promised in the near future Birmingham is likely to become the great railroad, as it is now the maufacturing, centre of the state.

The Voice of a Prophet.

Judge black in his great speech before the electoral commission closed with the following anathema: At present you have us down and under your feet. Never had you a better right to rejoice. Well may you say: "We have made a covenant with death, and with hell are we at agreement; when the overflowing scourge shall pass through, it shall not come unto us: for we have made lies our refuge, and under falsehood have we hid ourselves." But nevertheless wait a little while. The waters of truth will rise gradually, and slowly but surely, and then look out for the overflowing scourge.

"The refuge of lies shall be swept away and the hiding place of falsehood shall be uncovered." This mighty and puisant nation will rise herself up like a strong man after a sleep and shake her invincible locks in a fashion you little think of now. Wait; retribution will come in due time. Justice travels with a leaden heel; but strikes with an iron hand. God's mill grinds, slow, but dreadfully fine. Wait till the flood-gate is lifted and a full head of water comes rushing on. Wait and you will see fine grinding then.

HOW TO REMOVE A TIGHT RING.—A ring which has become constricted around a swollen finger, or in any similar situation consists simply in enveloping the afflicted member, after the manner of a circular bandage, in a length of flat India rubber braid, such as ladies make use of to keep their hats on the top of their heads. This should be accurately applied—beginning, *not* close to the ring, but at the tip of the finger, and leaving no intervals between the successive turns, so as to exert its elastic force gradually and gently upon the tissues underneath. When the binding is completed, the hand should be held aloft in vertical position, and in a few minutes the swelling will be perceptibly diminished. The braid is then taken off and immediately reapplied in the same manner, when, after another five minutes, the finger, if again rapidly uncovered, will be small enough for the ring to be removed with ease.

What a Lie Did.—How a Fearful Candidate Played a Bold Game and Lost.

"I once had an example of how well it is to tell the truth," said a gentleman who was once a prominent candidate for Governor of Arkansas. "Some time ago I was traveling on horseback through a very lonely part of the country. I was never a brave man, and I was not in the least surprised upon discovering that I was scared. Every rustle of the leaves, every sudden cry of a bird startled me. I could not think anything but robbers and desperadoes, and shuddred as I remembered a man who, years ago, had been found in the woods, murdered in cold blood. Every feature of the ghastly face came up, and I turned sick when the gaping wound in his throat rose before me with startling verisimilitude.

"When I thus reflected, a short turn of the lonely road, winding around a thickly wooded hill, brought me almost face to face with two men who seemed to be standing for me. Their horses were hitched to a neighboring grapevine, and the suggestive manner in which they looked at the animal I was riding sent a thrill like a streak of ice water up my back. I saw at once that they were desperate men, and felt that they would not hesitate to kill me. Flight was out of the question, for any such move on my part would, I was convinced, prove certain death. For the first time in my life I resolved to play the bully, and, assuming what I fancied was an unconcerned expression, I said, 'Good morning.'

"'How are you?' they replied, 'Going far?'

"'I don't know that it is any of your business,' I replied. 'I don't want any trouble with you, for I have decided to lead a better life. Never again do I want it said that I shed the blood of a human being.'

"'A bad man, I reckon,' said one of the desperadoes.

"'At one time I could not have denied such an accusation; but, as I tell you, I have resolved never to kill another man. I hope you will not molest me.'

"'Hold on, partner!'

"'I've got no time to talk.'

"'But hold on! What's your name?'

"'I'm Bill Poston, the outlaw, and the man of whom you have often heard. I have killed men for less than this, and I don't want you to cause a breaking of my resolve.'

"'Do as you like about your resolve,' said the teller of the desparadoes. 'I don't know who you are, but I know that you are not Bill Poston, the robber.'

"'How do you know?'

"'Because I am Bill Poston, and this is my brother.'

"'Oh, Lord!' I supplicated; 'have mercy on me!'

"'Climb off that horse, Cap; I reckon we'd better hang you right here.'

"'I begged, but saw no mercy in their eyes. I prayed, but I heard no answer.

"'I'll teach you how to go around the country committing depredations and lying them on to me? Fine man, you are! Stole this horse, I reckon. John, get that rope off my saddle. We'll swing him up right here.'

"'Oh, my friends! I have committed no depredations. I am a candidate for Governor of Arkansas, and am on my way to meet an appointment at a place of discussion.'

"'Who is your opponent?'

"'Colonel Bracket.'

"'What sort of a fellow is he?'

"'He's a bad man.'

"'Are you well acquainted with him?'

"'I never saw him, but know that he's a bad man.'

"'He's a much better man than you are, or at least will soon exhibit more capacity for executive duties than you can possibly show. In short, he'll be the liveliest man pretty soon.'

"They put the rope around my neck. I prayed in vain, I asked the Lord to forgive me of my sins, and closed my eyes, every moment expecting to be drawn up.

"'If I let you go, will you promise never again to use my name?'

"'I swear I won't. Let me live and I'll be a better man. I'll do anything for you, and when I'm elected Govenor I'll pardon you.'

"'All right; you may go this time. Take off the rope John.'

I mounted my horse and rode away, with fearful thankfulness and a determination never to tell another lie. Next day, when I reached the place of discussion, a large crowd had gathered When I approached the people were shouting with laughter. Great Alexander! Some one was relating my experience. Shoving my way forward, I recognized in the speaker the tall man who had accused me of taking his name. He was my opponent. I could not face the crowd, and left as rapidly as possible. The whole thing was a joke. At the election I was defeated by an overwhelming majority.—*Arkansas Traveller.*

"I would like to get a certificate of insanity," said a man to the Asylum Commissioners.

"Who do you want it for?"

"Myself."

"Are you insane?"

"Crazy as a church."

"And you want admittance into the asylum?"

"Yes, sir."

"What evidence can you give us of your inranity?"

"Evidence that you canot dispute. I read a three column article on the tariff.

"Go to the asylum and tell the keeper. He'll admit you. In positive cases certificates are not necessary."

Down in Salem the other day a bright little girl was sent to get some eggs, and on her way back stumbled and fell, making sad havoc with the contents of her basket. "Won't you catch it when you get home, though!" exclaimed her companion. "No, indeed I won't," she answered. "I've got a grandmother."

A plumber, who was about to die, said; "My only regret about dying is because where I am going water pipes never freeze up."

An Indian being asked not to paint his face said, "Indian heap like white women. Stop white woman, Indian stop."

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER, 21, 1883.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

FOR AUDITOR GENERAL,
ROBERT TAGGART,
of Warren.

FOR STATE TREASURER,
JOSEPH POWELL,
of Bradford.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
R. BUCKINGHAM.
OF BLOOMSBURG.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR.
SAMUEL NEYHARD.
OF BLOOMSBURG.

A repetition of the Jerseytown tragedy occured in New York a few days ago. A Presbyterian clergyman cut his wife's throat, and after cutting his own jumped out of a fourth story window. Another similar case occurred recently in Chicago. It seems to have taken an epidemic form.

Chief Clerk Meek, of the house at Harrisburg, has shown what an honest and careful scrutiny of his department can accomplish in the way of saving money to the state. His contingent expenses have been $4,411,56 against Hahn's $10,000, and his supply account $305.47 against Hahn's $2,763,-93.

The Democrats have gained all that it is possible for them to gain by the extra session. It is just as certain now that no apportionments can be made as it will be two months hence. What good can come of a longer session we cannot see. The propriety of an early adjournment is therefore respectfully suggested.

Governor Pattison has vetoed the joint resolution instructing the appropriation committees to include pay for members of the Legislature only up to September 10th. He says the pay can't be stopped except by an act of Assembly, although there is nothing to compel members to take pay, who do not want it.

Considerable complaint is made in regard to the new postal note, on account of the paper used in its manufacture, which is so easily counterfeited. The sample submitted for proposals was far superior to that used and was such as could only be obtained from the government. It is probable the contractors will be compelled to comply with the requirement of the proposals or forfeit the contract and new proposals will be issued.

On Saturday September 15th the real estate of Peter Herdic of Williamsport, was sold by United States Marshal James S. Rutan. The attendance at the sale was very small, and the properties brought a mere trifle. The beautiful Park Hotel was sold for $1200 The Herdic Park embracing 18 acres for $600. Thirteen or fourteen properties in various parts of the city were sold at prices ranging from $5 to $50. Clinton Lloyd, Herdic's attorney, was the purchaser of nearly all the properties.

AN ACT.

For the registration of dentists, supplementary to the act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry, and to protect the people against empiricism in relation thereto, in the state of Pennsylvania, and providing penalties for the same," which became a law on the seventeenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy six, providing for the registration of practitioners of dentistry, and penalties for violations for the same.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and house of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same.* That it shall be the duty of any person practicing dentistry within three months after the passage of this act, and of any person intending to practice dentistry within this Commonwealth, before commencing the same to have recorded in the recorder's office, in the county in which he or she practices intends to practice the diploma or certificate provided for in the act to which this is a supplement.

SECTION 2. Any person beginning to practice dentistry in this State after the passage of this act, having a dental diploma issued, or purporting to have been issued, by any college, university, society or association, shall present the same to the State examining board provided for in the act to which this is a supplement for approval; such examining board being satisfied as to the qualifications of the applicant and the genuiness of the diploma, shall without fee, endorse the same as approved, after which the same may be recorded as aforesaid.

SECTION 3. Any person who is entitled to practice dentistry in this Commonwealth without a diploma or certificate, under the provisions of the eighth section of the act to which this is a supplement, shall make written affidavit before some person qualified to administer an oath, setting forth the time of his continuous practice and the place or places where such practice was pursued in the Commonwealth; and shall, within three months after the passage of this act, have such affidavit recorded in the recorder's office of the county in which he is practicing. And it shall be the duty of the recorder to record such diplomas, certificates and affidavits in a book provided for such purpose.

SECTION 4. Any person who shall violate or fail to comply with any of the provisions of this act or the act to which this is a supplement, or who shall cause to be recorded any diploma or certificate which has been obtained fraudulently, or is in whole or in part a forgery, or shall make affidavit to any false statement to be recorded as aforesaid, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, on conviction, shall be sentenced to pay afine of not less than fifty nor more thantwo hundred dollars for each offense, for the use of the proper county.

SECTION 5. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

APPROVED—June 20, 1883.

Rose Ambler.

THE VICTIM OF A MYSTERIOUS MURDER IN CONNECTICUT.

The details of a tragedy are always of thrilling interest, for the loss of a human life is a subject upon which the rich and the poor, the high and the low, reflect with kindred emotions.

To this interest is added an element of deep regret and pain, when the victim is a young and promising woman, whose life has been such, as to warrant her right and title to a peaceful end.

The circumstances attending Rose Ambler's death and the whereabouts of her murderer are still shrouded in mystery.

She was returning home from the house of her lover, where she was in the habit of visiting him during their engagement, and from which, to his shame be it said, she was allowed to go alone, as his duties demanded early rising, and she did not wish to deprive him of his sleep.

On Sunday night, September 2d, at nine o'clock, he said good-bye to her for the last time, and her lifeless body was found next morning, in a field, to which it had been dragged from the sidewalk, and upon her person were the evidence of a struggle and marks of the violence which caused her death.

Four years ago, at twenty-two years of age, Rose Clark married Norman Ambler, and a daughter was born to them, but neither his wife's affection nor the ties of home proved sufficiently attractive to restrain the neglectful husband from dissipation and profligate excesses, so a separation took place and divorce followed.

Then began the marked attentions of Lewis, and on the night of the murder, their conversation was concerning the furnishing of the little cottage which was building for them, and in which they were to live as man and wife as soon as it was completed. On her homeward walk there was several lonely stretches, though the streets for the most part has houses here and there. Within a stone's throw of the spot where her body was found, is the house of Preston Hodges, and three of the inmates of his house heard a cry of distress at twelve o'clock, which was mistaken for the scream of an owl, and therefore no inquiry was made.

This leaves an interval of three hours, during which time naught is known of the victim's movements.

The thorough sifting of this interval may bring the murderer to light, but the absence of clues leads to the conclusion that this case also must go upon the record of unsolved mysteries with those of Mary Stannard and Jennie Creamer.

The latest developments in this terrible mystery seem to indicate that some important information has been obtained, and that there is possibility that the perpetrator of the crime will soon be in the custody of the law. The microscope has been called into requisition, as in the cases above mentioned and revealed some startling facts. A substance found under the murdered woman's finger nail was found to be human skin and blood corpuscles of some white person. They were the results of scratches inflicted by the victim on the person of her murderer during her struggle for life, and may prove an important factor in solving the problem as to who committed the horrible deed. At last accounts suspicion against Rose Ambler's prospective husband, which had been turned away for a season, has been renewed, and was growing stronger, under the researches making by the detectives.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

The celebration of the seventy-third anniversary of Mexican Independence was celebrated at the city of Mexico on the 16th.

Unless speedy measures are adopted there will be war between Germany and Russia, and also between France and China. This will leave England as the only one of the great powers not entangled in disputes leading to taking up of arms.

On Saturday Sept. 15, at Narragansett Park Providence, R. I. a trotting horse called Jay-Eye-See, who had a record of 2:15, in an attempt to beat his time for a purse of $2,000 made it in 2:10¾

O'Donnell the man who assasinated Carey, was landed at Southampton on the 17th. O'Donnell stated that he had not been placed in handcuffs or irons during the voyage. He does not fear the trial for the murder of Carey so much as he does that he may be implicated in other affairs.

The Roman Catholic church of the Sacred Heart at Plains, Luzerne county was dedicated Sunday. Fully 3,000 persons were present. Father James Mulholland, of Philadelphia, acted as master of ceremonies, and the Right Rev. Bishop O'Hara, of Scranton, celebrated high mass. There were about twenty deacons of honor present.

Shortly before her departure for Europe Mrs. Langtry stated that she held extensive mortgages on property in Fifth avenue and other streets. Lately the truth of this statement was confirmed by the filing at the Register's office of an assignment of several mortgages to Mrs. Langtry by William Boswell on property in New York city, the consideration being $81,000.

The Pennsylvania railroad is considering the establishment of a "time standard," as the railroad men term it, to put into operation at an early day. The proposed standard would simply add the hours after midnight to 12, so that 11 o'clock in the morning would be 23 o'clock, and noon would be 24 o'clock. The dials of clocks would be made into 24 divisions of time, and the troublesome a. m. and p. m. would be avoided.

John W. Edmonson and Anthony Hale of Philadelphia, were arrested last week for counterfeiting. For several years they have been flooding Brazil with spurious government notes. At the time of their arrest they had sufficient material to manufacture to the amount of several millions of dollars. Their operations of introducing counterfeits into Brazil commenced in 1868, and because of circulating so great an amount the genuine government notes have greatly depreciated within the last couple years.

Abraham G. Nesbitt, a sixteen year-old son of Abraham Nesbitt, president of the Second National Bank of Wilkesbarre, ran away from home August 31. The last heard of him, he was in New York, and expected to go from there to New Orleans. He sent the following letter to his mother, postmarked at New York.

"Don't know why I left home. Guess I must have been crazy. I will take care of myself, and expect to see a good deal of hard work. Don't worry about me. I'll turn up somewhere."

The boy had about $80 with him when he left Kingston.

Harvest Home.

A Harvest Home and a Missionary Convention were jointly held at Numedia in the St. Paul's Union Church on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. The little village of Numedia is located on a prominence and affords a commanding view of the surrounding valley which is interspersed with fine farms. The church is a large brick structure and is somewhat pleasing in its external appearence but rather antique in its interior as it has galleries on three sides and a pretty high pulpit. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion. In front of the chancel were three pyramids. The centre one was tastefully decorated with flowers and the other two displayed a collection of the finest vegetables, fruits and grain the valley afford. The pulpit also was artistically decorated with festoons, vases of flowers and miniature baskets of choice fruit. At the hour appointed for convening, might be seen lines of various vehicles coming from near and far to the Harvest Home and Missionary convention.

The order of addresses was as follows:

TUESDAY FORENOON.—Harvest sermon in the English by Rev. A. Houtz, and remarks in the German by Rev. S. C. Meckel.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.—First subject: Necessity of a regular attendence upon the ordinance of God's House. Opened by Rev. W. B. Sando and followed by Revs. Meckel, Hautz and Scheaffer; Second Subject: Our church Periodicals in our congregations and families opened by Rev. S. S. Kohler and followed by Rev. W. B. Sando.

WEDNESDAY FORENOON.—First subject: Home Missions, opened in the English by Rev. T. J. Hacker and followed in German by Rev. S. C. Meckel; Second subject: Foreign Mission; opened in the English by Rev. A. Houtz and followed in German by Rev. W. B. Sando.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.—Subject: Relation between Pastor and People; opened in the English by Rev. W. C. Scheaffer, and followed in the German by Rev. W. G. Engle and others.

The attendance upon these sessions was good, and the interest unabating. The harvest offering aggregated about $90. At the beginning of the present pastorate it did not exceed one tenth of this amount. We see great progress made in the spiritual condition and numerical growth of this congregation, and bespeak for Brother Dechant and his people more peace and prosperity. We think these Harvest Homes and Missionary Conventions highly beneficial. They awaken in the heart a sense of gratitude to the Given of all good, and cultivate the spirit of christian benevolence. They are also the means of developing the social life of the people in bringing them in contact with one another and the ministers of the church. With many thanks for their kindness, we bade this people good-bye and heard the hearty reply, "Safe journey," "Come soon again."

A. HOUTZ, Secretary.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JACOB HONS LATE OF MIFFLIN TOWNSHIP DECEASED.

Letters of administration in the estate of Jacob Hons late of Mifflin township, Columbia county Pa. deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to Geo. A. Hons, administrator. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the same to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.

GEO. A. HONS,
Sept. 21-6w Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF SUSANNAH E. HAWK, LATE OF MAIN TOWNSHIP DECEASED.

Letters of administration in the estate of Susannah E. Hawk late of Main township, Columbia county Pa., deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to J. A. Shuman, Administrator. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the same to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.

J. A. SHUMAN,
Sept. 21st Administrator.

COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Hon. WILLIAM ELWELL President Judge of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace and the Court of Common Pleas and Orphans' Court in the 26th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Columbia and Montour, and the Hons. James Lake and F. L. Shuman, Associate Judges of Columbia county, have issued their precept, bearing date the 9th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, and to me directed for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Common Pleas and Orphans' Court, in Bloomsburg, in the county of Columbia, on the fourth Monday, being the 24th day of Sept. next, to continue for two weeks.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, to the Justices of the Peace, and the Constables of the said County of Columbia, that they be then and there in their proper person at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said 24th day of Sept. with their records inquisitions and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those that are bound by recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or may be in the jail of the said county of Columbia, to be then and there to prosecute them as shall be just. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance, agreeably to their notices. Dated at Bloomsburg the 14th day of Aug. in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three and in the one hundred and seventh year of the Independence of the United States of America.

Sheriff's Office, JOHN MOURRY,
Bloomsburg, Aug—6 to Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs issued out of the Court of Common Pleas, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, on

Monday Sept. 24, 1883.

at 2 o'clock, p. m.,

All that certain lot or piece of land situate in Mainville, Columbia county, Pa., and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: on the north by lot of Anna Geiger, on the east by a public road, on the north by an alley and on the west by Catawissa creek, containing one acre, more or less, on which are erected a three-story frame dwelling house, a two-story frame store house and outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Peter Billmeyer vs. W. T. Shuman, and to be sold as the property of W. T. Shuman. Vend. Ex.

Billmeyer, Att'y.

ALSO

All those certain town lots situate in the Town of Glen City, in Beaver township, Columbia county; Bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point fifty feet east of the Catharine Longenberger tract of land, thence north thirteen degrees west twelve hundred and seventy feet to the Danville, Hazleton & Wilkesbarre Railroad, thence along said road south eighty-four and one half degrees west three hundred and sixty-five feet to the north-west corner of Vine street, thence along said street south thirteen degrees east eleven hundred and thirty-eight feet to a corner on north side of Front street, thence along said street south seventy-seven degrees west three hundred and fifty feet to the place of beginning, CONTAINING the following lots and parts of lots as marked and numbered in plot or plan of Glen City, to-wit: Blocks 1, 2, 18, 17, 19, 20; Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58 and 59; also all land north of said lots, and south of the above named railroad excepting two, fifty feet wide streets marked as Second and Third streets in said town plot.

ALSO

All that certain messuage and town lot of land situate in the village of Georgetown, in Beaver township, Columbia county, in the state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Lot number seventy-two in plot No. 4 in said village, bounded on the north by an alley, on the east by Market street, on the south by Front street and on the west by lot number seventy-one, and containing fifty feet in front and one hundred and fifty feet in depth.

ALSO

The one undivided third of all the following mentioned and described tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the township of Beaver, in the county of Columbia and state of Pennsylvania, correctly described by metes and bounds as follows, to-wit: BEGINNING at a post corner of lands of Thomas Lemon, Mary Scott and Daniel Neyer and running thence by lands of Daniel Neyer south one degree west three hundred and thirty-seven and five-tenths perches to a stone in line of lands of Jesse Evans, thence by the same north eighty degrees east eighty-two and five-tenth perches to a stone in line of lands of Jesse Brooks, thence north twelve degrees west eighteen perches to stones, thence north eighty and one-half degrees east one hundred and eighty-one and seventy-five one hundredth perches to stones and line of Catharine Longenberger, thence by the same north thirteen and one-half degrees west two hundred and eighty-two perches to a post and corner of George Longenberger, thence by the same north eighteen and one-half degrees west fifty-two and seven-tenth perches to stones and corner of Thomas Lemon aforesaid, and thence by the same south seventy-two and one-half degrees west one hundred and sixty perches to a post, the place of beginning, the whole or three-thirds of said tract, being the tract known as the Andrew Clark tract, CONTAINING three hundred and ninety-six acres, more or less.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Pardee, Markle & Grier vs. J. A. Losee, and to be sold as the property of J. A. Losee.

Robison, Att'y. Vend Ex.

ALSO

All that certain tract of land situate in Sugarloaf township, Columbia county and state of Pennsylvania, bounded on the north by land of John Harrington, on the east by land of Frederick Laubach, on the south by land of William Hirtinger and on the west by land of Jesse Hartman, CONTAINING seventy acres, more or less, on which are erected a plank dwelling house, and outbuildings. There is also a good apple orchard on the premises.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Jesse Hartman vs. John Mitchler, and to be sold as the property of John Mitchler. Vend Ex.

Freeze, Att'y.

ALSO

All that certain messuage, tenement or tract of land situate in Fishingcreek township bounded and described as follows, to-wit: BEGINNING at a stake corner of Philip Unangst and widow George Laubach's land, thence south seventy-eight and one-half degrees west along said Laubach's land fifty-seven perches to a post, thence along land of Daniel Bogart south nine degrees east one hundred & seventy-one perches to a post thence along land of George Lazarus north seventy-one and a half degrees east twenty-four and four-tenth perches to a chestnut tree, thence along land of William Unangst north two degrees west eighty perches to a chestnut tree, thence along the same north seventy-one and a half degrees east twenty perches to a chestnut tree, thence along the same north seventeen and a half degrees west fourteen perches to a stone, in the orchard, thence along the same north sixty-four degrees east nineteen perches to a stone in public road, thence by land of Philip Unangst north eighteen and a half degrees west sixty-eight perches to the place of beginning, CONTAINING forty-seven acres and sixty-seven perches of land.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of Samuel Shives, executor of Philip Unangst, deceased, vs. Edward Unangst, and to be sold as the property of Edward Unangst. Lev. Fa.

Miller, Att'y.

ALSO

All of the defendant's interest in the following real estate:

Being the undivided ⅓ of a certain lot or piece of land situate in Jerseytown, Madison township, west of A. K. Smith's hotel stable, and upon the same side of the public road bounded on the north by the public road leading from Jerseytown to Washingtonville, on the west by lot of land belonging to the heirs of David Ross, deceased, on the south by land of J. C. Fruit and on the east by lot of land belonging to Mary Stout, CONTAINING one fourth of an acre of land, more or less whereon are erected a two story frame dwelling house and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of William Gingles vs. Nelson Welliver, and to be sold as the property of Nelson Welliver.

Ikeler, Att'y. Fi. Fa.

ALSO

The undivided one-fourth of all that certain tract of land situate in Briarcreek and Fishingcreek townships, Columbia county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: beginning at the southeast corner of the Alexander Cochran tract, thence north eight degrees west 182 perches to a stone corner in line of land of Nathan Beach, thence along same south 82 degrees west 19 5-10 perches to a stone, thence south 8¼ degrees west 51 perches, thence south 82 degrees west 48 perches, thence north 8 degrees west 194 perches, thence south 82 degrees west 17 perches, thence south and east 52 perches to stone corner, thence south 82 degrees west 79 perches, thence north 21 degrees west 110 perches to a stone corner, thence south 69¾ degrees, north 196 perches to a stone corner on line of land of William Clark, thence along same south 20 degrees east 252 perches to the Henry Adam's corner, thence north 82¼ degrees east 222 perches to a stone corner of Henry Adams' tract, thence south 9¾ degrees east 162 perches to the place of beginning, containing 600 acres, more or less.

Seized, taken into execution at the suit of the Bloomsburg Banking Company vs. A. B. Pearson, and to be sold as the property of A. B. Pearson. Vend. Ex.

Wirt, Att'y. JOHN MOURRY, Sheriff.

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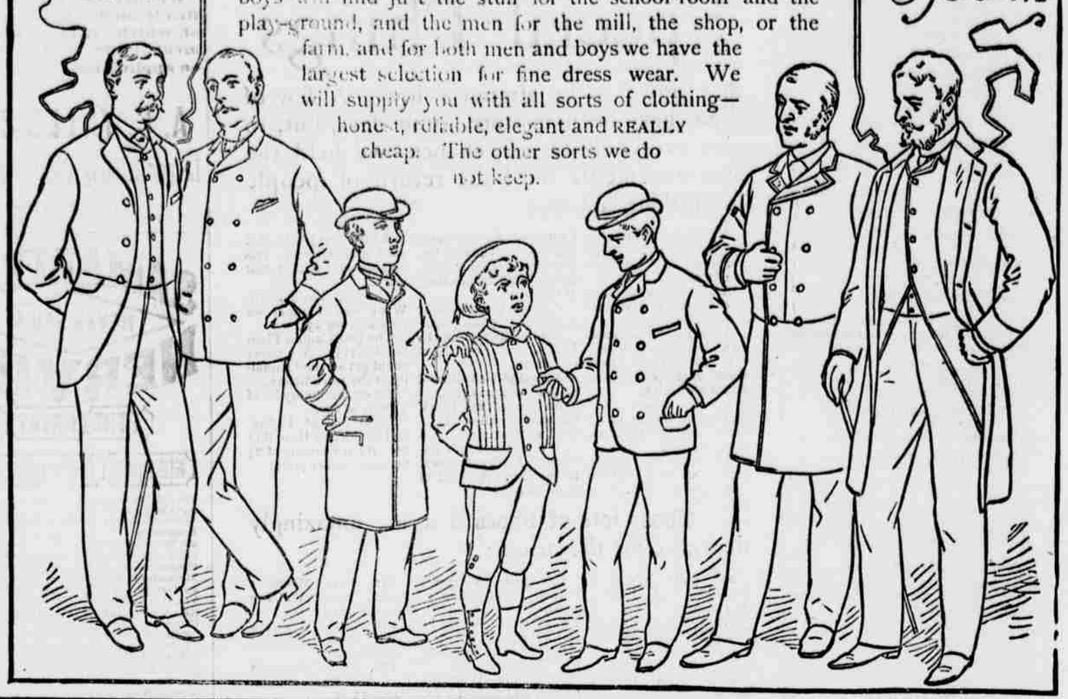

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF DAVID DEMOTT, LATE OF GREENWOOD TOWNSHIP, DECEASED.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the administrator, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, on Saturday September 15th, 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties interested in said estate are requested to present their claims or be forever debarred from any share of said fund.

R. BUCKINGHAM,
Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF PETER MICHAEL DECEASED.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphan's Court of Columbia county, to make distribution of balance in the hands of the administrator to and among parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, on Saturday September 15th 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m. when and where all parties interested in said estate must appear and present their claims or be forever debarred from any share of said estate

C. W. MILLER,
Aug. 24. Auditor.

REGISTER'S NOTICES.

Notice is hereby given to all legatees, creditors and other persons interested in the estates of the respective decedents and minors, that the following administration and guardian accounts have been filed in the office of the Register of Columbia county, and will be presented for confirmation and allowance in the Orphans' Court to be held in Bloomsburg, on Monday, September 24th, 1883, at 2 o'clock p. m., on said day:

1 The account of Hester Kistler and Daniel P. Kistler, administrators of J. B. Kistler, late of Catawissa township, deceased.

2 The first and final account of George Russel, one of the executors of Robert Russel, late of Hemlock township, deceased.

3 The second and final account of Isaac Hoacock, executor of John Stadon, late of Greenwood township, deceased.

4 The second and final account of Peter J. Weaver, executor of Augustus W. Weaver, late of Fishingcreek township, deceased.

5 The first and final account of John K. Shultz, executor of Elizabeth Adams, late of Madison township, deceased.

6 The first and final account of Daniel Baylor, surviving administrator of Theresa Baylor, late of Montour township, deceased.

7 The final account of David Whitmire, guardian of the person and estate of H. B. Marteeny, minor child of Henry Marteeny, deceased.

8 The first and final account of H. J. Johnson and F. P. Johnson, administrators of Samuel Johnson, late of Greenwood township, deceased.

9 The first and final account of George Stine, executor of Sarah A. Stine, late of Locust township, deceased.

10 The first and final account of Levi Belshline, one of the executors of Henry Belshline, late of Fishingcreek township, deceased.

11 The final accont of Nathan Fleckenstine, guardian of the person and estate of William S. Hagenbuch, minor child of Michael Hagenbuch, deceased.

12 The first account of Anna Kressler and Wm. E. Werkheiser, administrators of Amanda Werkheiser, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, deceased.

13 The first and final account of John Mourey, trustee of Elizabeth Kelchner, late of Mifflin township, deceased.

14 The fifth account of John Appleman, surviving executor of Peter Appleman, late of Hemlock township, deceased.

15 The first and final account of Jacob Schuyler, executor of Nancy S. Lockhart, late of Greenwood township, deceased.

16 The final account of Elias Weaver, guardian of Sarah Jane Yetter, a minor child of Daniel Yetter, late of Main township, deceased.

17 The final account of Henry Bollinghead and Isaac R. Sechoitz, executors of [illegible] late of Catawissa township, deceased.

18 The first and final account of Moses Savage administrator of Hannah Platt, late of Jackson township, deceased.

Register's office, GEO. W. STERNER,
Bloomsburg, Aug. 27, '83. Register.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ABRAM FORCE LATE OF ORANGE TOWNSHIP, DECEASED

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the administrator, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg on Monday Sept. 17th 1-83, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same or be debarred from any share of said fund.

R. BUCKINGHAM,
Aug 24-ta Auditor.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Came to the premises of the undersigned about three miles northeast of Millville, on August 24th three stray heifers. Two are about 2 years old, have large red and white spotted sides, head, legs and tail nearly all white, and have slim horns; the third is about 20 months old, of a rare appearance with short dark horns. These all came about the vicinity of Millville in the early spring. The owner will please call, prove property, pay charges and take them away or they will be disposed of according to law.

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The Columbian.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.,

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1883.

Correct Railroad Time Table.

Trains on the Philadelphia & R. R. leave Rupert as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
6 36 a. m.	11 45 a. m.
4 06 p. m.	6 13 p. m.

Trains on the D. L. & W. R. R. leave Bloomsburg as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7 26 a. m.	8 25 a. m.
10 47 a. m.	11 45 a. m.
6 35 p. m.	4 35 p. m.

The 11 45 train south connects with the Philadelphia & Reading at Rupert, and with the Northern Central at Northumberland.

The 8 25 a. m. train connects at Northumberland with 9:25 train on Pennsylvania road reaching Philadelphia at 3:20 p. m.

The 11:45 train connects with Philadelphia and Reading road at Rupert at 11:50 reaching Philadelphia at 6:00 p. m.

The 11:45 train connects with Pennsylvania road at Northumberland at 1:40 reaching Philadelphia at 7:25 p. m

The 4:30 p. m. train connects with Pennsylvania road at Northumberland at 8:05 p. m. and reaches Philadelphia at 2:55 a. m.

Trains on the N. & W. B. Railway pass Bloom Ferry as follows:

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7.41 a. m	12.06 p. m.
6.31 p. m	7.07 p. m.

Personal.

Mrs. C. P. Hand is visiting her parents.

Miss Julia Waller of Washington is visiting at her uncle's, Rev. D. J. Waller, Sr.

W. B. Poust returned from the west on Monday.

Mrs. W. J. Buckalew is visiting relatives here.

Miss Bessie W. McKelvy returned to school at Chestnut Hill on Thursday.

Miss Annie Everett of Wilkesbarre is the guest of Mrs. J. F. Peacock.

Fred. B. Hartman has moved from Rupert to this town. He resides on West Main street.

Hal. B. Wardin, son of E. M. Wardin, of Carthage, Missouri, is visiting his friends here.

Court in Danville this week.

Oysters at Jacoby's on Saturday.

Until the rains of last week came, some of the Mt. Carmel people were obliged to carry water two miles.

The band of Irish gypsies that was here a few weeks ago, has gone into winter quarters at Newark, New Jersey.

I. W. Hartman has put in sewer pipe for the accommodation of his tenants in his store building.

FOR SALE.—A separator, made by David Savage. In good condition. Will be sold cheap. Apply to Howard Kline, Orangeville, Pa.

A suspension of judgment is all we ask—don't buy anywhere until you have seen the new goods at David Lowenberg's.

The Friendship Fire Company, accompanied by the Afton Band, went to Scranton on Wednesday evening to attend the Fireman's convention.

L. Bernhard keeps in stock the best plated ware in knives, forks, spoons, casters &c. Articles engraved free of charge, good plated tea spoons at $1.25 a set.

J. S. Reitz has purchased a steam engine and boiler to be used in connection with his meat chopping machine. He has also commenced the sale of the Chicago dressed beef.

LOST.—Between Orangeville and Bloomsburg a small case containing a slope level. Any person finding and returning it to the *Republican* Office, in good condition, will be suitably rewarded.

The district attorney of Montour county had the chief burgess and members of town council of Danville brought in court on Tuesday for neglect to repair Market street. They were bound over for trial at next term of court.

Court begins next Monday. We shall be pleased to receive visits from as many of our subscribers as can find it convenient to call. If you owe anything come in and pay it. If you don't owe anything come in anyway.

The Conyngham township schools are in operation the difficulty about the appointment of teachers having been settled by a re-examination of the rejected applicants for certificates, when they all passed.

We print elsewhere the act requiring dentists to register. We were unable to procure a copy of the act sooner, owing to the delay in publication of the Pamphlet laws.

The place to ascertain "What to wear," for the coming season, is at
D. LOWENBERG'S.

The ladies and friends of the Evangelical Church, will hold an oyster supper and an ice cream festival in Evans' Hall, on Saturday afternoon and evening, Sept. 22d. Proceeds to be applied in liquidating the indebtedness on their church. We bespeak for them a liberal patronage.

The Montour republican convention on Saturday September 15, placed in nomination the following ticket: Associate judge, Jesse Beaver, sr; county Treasurer, Jacob Moser; register and recorder, W. Boyd Gearhart; congressional conferees, Edward S. Gearhart, Col. J. F. Ramsey, William L. Gouger; alternate, William B. Baldy.

The proceeds of the festival held at the Greenwood M. E. Church Sept. 15, 1883, were $31.17., expenses $01.43. Net proceeds $259.74, which will pay the church's debt. The contest for the prize ring brought in $216.03. The ring was won by Miss Rose Stadon, she having collected $90.30; Miss Mattie Girton $70.50; Miss Ida Cox $55.25.

Mrs. L. E. Waller and Miss Julia Waller were thrown from a buggy on Tuesday but escaped without serious injury. They were driving under the trestle at Rupert when a train came along and frightened the horse, which turned so suddenly as to upset the buggy. The horse was caught near the station.

John Turner and William Pettit are engaged in opening a drift on the land of Benjamin Miller in Scott township, for the Sunbury Lead Company. They have struck an eight inch vein of lead ore and judging from the specimens which we have in our office we would suppose it to be quite rich. Whether it can be found in paying quantities remains to be seen.

The great Lamont & Wilson European specialty Combination will appear at the Opera House on Thursday evening Sept. 27th. It is pronounced by the press and public to be the strongest, combination of the kind on the road. They are meeting with great success, don't fail to see them. Geo. E Sands is the business manager and advertising heavy.

The merchant tailoring department of David Lowenberg is now replete with all the novelties in gents' wear. Call and see the fall styles.

The Premium List is sent out with this paper. It is published on a separate sheet so that we may give the usual amount of reading matter. The COLUMBIAN is the only paper in the county that presents it in this form. It is much more convenient for reference, and more acceptable to our readers.

NOTICE.—All persons desiring to exhibit at Col Co Fair will please send in their Lists carefully classed and thus save themselves much annoyance, as no entries will be made after Tuesday.

Address,
Fred B. Hartman, Secy,
2 w Bloomsburg, Pa.

The interior of the Prothonotary's office has been rearranged in a manner that is a very decided improvement. New counters have been put in with pigeon holes for the dockets, so arranged that the books can be conveniently reached from either side. A dozen men can now do business in the office where only three or four could work before. Prothonotary Krickbaum devised the improvements.

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Sep 14-4w Normal School, Bloomsburg, Pa.

The fire department of Winona, Minnesota, has presented its compliments to the Winona Fire Company of this town in the shape of a handsome badge. It is handpainted on silk ribbon. The upper portion is white, on which is a fireman's trumpet in gilt, surrounded by a green wreath. Below on red ribbon are the words "Winona F. D. 1870." At the bottom a gold lantern is pendant, and at the top is a gold star. It is very nicely done, and we are informed was made by a young lady of Winona.

A game of base ball was played at Danville on Wednesday between the fat men and lean men. The game resulted in a score of 22 to 20 in favor of the fat men. Business was suspended from one to five. The public schools had one session, to afford the children an opportunity of seeing the game. Court which was in session adjourned at half past one and all went to witness the game. It was the occasion of the opening of the new ball grounds.

We learn from an exchange that there is another swindler about. He is a young man of dark complexion and with deformed nose, and represents himself as an agent selling safes for J. M. Terwillinger & Co. He has swindled a number of business men throughout the State by getting forged notes cashed, drawn on different New York banks, purporting to be from his employers. He was in Middletown last week, and went westward and is supposed to be around Scranton or Wilkesbarre. He generally attempts his fraud to the amount of twenty-five dollars a victim, and business men would do well to look out for him.

Only the best make of American watches are kept in stock at L. Bernhard's jewelry store, also a fine line of gold finger rings &c.

Monday evening Miss Lillian Spencer appeared at the opera-house, personating the difficult role of Cora, in "The Creole." The character to correctly portray is indeed a most difficult one, and there are but few actresses who possess the ability to perfectly act the part. Miss Spencer plays the character naturally and true to life. Her power as an actress is seen to better advantage in the most exciting parts of the piece, and in these scenes she is very fine. Her supporting company ably seconded her all through the play, and the characters in the cast were well acted in every case. Miss Spencer is a very talented artiste.—*St. Louis Republican.* Bloomsburg Opera House Friday, Sept. 21st.

A most interesting performance opened this week at the Academy of Music, both in regard to the play and the star, who assumed the star part, "The Creole,'. in a new version of "Article 47," Miss Lillian Spencer made her first appearance before a Chicago audience last night as Cora. She is young, very pretty, with a slight figure, expressive eyes, and a strong, clear voice, which she fully understands how to modulate. Her conception of "The Creole" is an exceedingly good one. It does not bear any traces of imitation, but is quite an original and strong creation of her own. She was warmly received and won several recalls. *Chicago Times,* March 20, 1883. Bloomsburg Opera House, Friday, Sept. 21st.

A farewell service on the occasion of the departure of Dr. James B. Neal and wife, was held at the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening. Rev. Dr. Poor gave a lecture on China; the pastor, Dr. Mitchell said farewell for himself, and Rev. D. J. Waller Sr., spoke on behalf of the congregation. Dr. Neal responded in a few well chosen remarks. He and his wife went to Maryland on Tuesday to visit her parents, and from there they will go to Cincinnati to see Mrs. Shipley, and will sail from San Francisco on the 11th of next month, for China, where they expect to remain ten years. Dr. Neal will take charge of a hospital there, under the direction of the Presbyterian Missionary Board. We wish them a safe journey, and abundant success in their chosen field.

The Convocation of Williamsport will hold a meeting in St. Paul's church, beginning on Tuesday evening next, at half past seven o'clock. The territory embraced by the Convocation is made up of the following ten counties: Potter, Tioga, Clinton, Centre, Lycoming, Union, Snyder, Northumberland, Montour and Colubia. In these counties there are twenty parishes, six missions and eighteen clergymen. Each parish and mission is entitled to be represented in Convocation by one clergyman and one layman. It is expected that the meeting next week will be largely attended, as Bloomsburg is convenient of access from all directions. On Tuesday evening the sermon will be preached by the Rev. Chas. R. Bonnell, of Lock Haven; on Wednesday morning by the Rev. John Hewitt, of Bellefonte. This service will include a celebration of the Holy Communion. On Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock, in the absence of the regular essayist, there will be a public discussion on Deut. 33-16. At half-past seven in the evening of the same day, the service will be followed by a number of addresses delivered by such clergymen as the Dean may choose.

Besides the public services the convocation will hold a number of business sessions which will be private.

There will also be a meeting at the time of the convocation of the committee on Missions to deaf mutes in the diocese of Central Pennsylvania, which will bring here a number of clergymen residing outside of the convocational district The public is cordially invited to attend all the services.

A Reminder.

David Lowenberg having just returned from New York and having purchased his Fall Stock, is now prepared to offer the latest styles in gentlemen's wear, and invites an early inspection of the new goods.

The Annual Meeting of the Penn'a W. C. T. U.

Will be held at Bellefonte, Centre Co., October 10th, 11th, and 12th, 1883. It will be composed of delegates from the 225 auxiliary Unions in the State. Besides Mrs. Wittenmyer, Mrs. Hannah Smith, and others of our well-known home workers, Mrs. Hunt of Boston, and Mrs. Baldwin of Trenton, are expected to be present.

Women of our State interested in temperance work, though not connected with our Union, will be made welcome. For orders for excursion tickets, send not later than October 5th, inclosing envelope properly addressed and stamped, to Mrs. Ellen M. Watson, 113 Smithfield St., Pittsburgh, Penn'a.

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Notice to Subscribers Outside the County.

About two weeks ago statements were sent out to every subscriber outside of the county who owes anything on subscription. Up to to this time but very few have responded. As we have to pay postage on all such papers we must insist on a compliance with our terms which are strictly in advance. We cannot afford to pay the postage on the papers, send several bills and pay postage on them, and then run the risk of losing the subscription money besides. Our request is but fair, and as very few have complied with it, we are forced to give notice that all papers going outside of the county that are not paid for by October 15th will be stopped. We dislike to print duns in the paper, but when our private requests are ignored there is no other alternative.

FOR SALE.—A property in Roaringcreek township, consisting of a dwelling house, barn, mill with four run of stone, and about 28 acres of improved land. Inquire of John Mourey, Bloomsburg, Pa. tf

Was He Murdered.

The investigations into the death of the late John C. Noonan, teacher of one of the West Mahanoy township schools, do not result satisfactorily, and the suspicion is now believed to be well founded that his death was not accidental. He was found at daybreak one morning last week upon the railroad track, beheaded. At the post-mortem the doctors became convinced that life had been extinct before the train passed over him. The flow of blood from the headless body was so small as to lead as to lead to the belief that he had been previously strangled. When last seen, at midnight, before his death, he was perfectly sober and had but a mile to walk to reach home. The first train to pass the point where his remains were found did not arrive until nearly two hours later. There was trouble in the township about the schools. The suspicion that there was foul play daily grows stronger, though the mystery presents no clue to its discovery.—*Ashland Advocate.*

The COLUMBIAN office is prepared to furnish all kinds of paper bags, plain or printed, at city prices. Merchants purchasing of us will save freight on their orders.

County Fairs.

The Philadelphia *Times* of the 17th in referring to the growth of County fairs, gives some good advice, which would be well for our readers to observe, just at the dawn of our fair. It speaks as follows:

This is the month for County Fairs in Pennsylvania, and it is gratifying to note how important they have become in most sections of the State. The failure of the State fair has quickened rather than chilled the County Fairs, and they put to shame the great Commonwealth that is distanced by Dakota Territory in a State or Territorial exhibition of the growth of the industries of the people.

The County Fair has been rapidly growing into importance during the last score of years, and now it enlists the interest of all the varied industries of the community. It has done more to diffuse good stock among the farmers; to introduce new implements; to improve the products of the dairy; to beautify the homes of the people, to make deeper plowing, more intelligent use of fertilizers, and better crops with less labor than any other method of education among our industries; and it has also made the wives and daughters of industry more skilful and more proud of their vocation.

The county fair should command the best efforts of the best men in every locality. The fogies and the growlers, who always resist all that make people more prosperous, will sneer at the County Fair. They will jog along in ill-tempered poverty, raising mulleins and weeds instead of the succulent grasses that fatten their stock and make their cream and butter golden, and they will reap scant sheaves where others reap in abundance; but they are past redemption and they must be left behind in the race. The County Fair will go on, and whenever it commands the hearty co-operation of the industries of the county it will tell in better farms, better stock, better products generally and better people.

FARMERS READ THIS.—Farmers wishing a first-class article of phosphate, can get it at Lightstreet at any time. Stop and get prices and examine goods before buying.
HARVEY E. HEACOCK.

Stillwater Jottings.

"Oh, Autumn! why so soon.
Depart the lines that make thy forest glad;
Thy gentle wind and thy fair sunny noon,
And leave thee wild and sad!"

The recent frosts done much damage to corn and buckwheat crops in this region.

The farmers are pretty well along with their seeding.

Mr. O. D. Hagenbuch moved into his fine new house on last Thursday.

The new church at Cambra is progressing finely, and will soon be ready to plaster.

Mr. John W. Kramer and lady, near Rohrsburg, were completely surprised recently, as their friends and neighbors to the number of fifty-three men, women and children came in on them unexpectedly and took possession of the premises, the men with their teams entering the field which they plowed and sowed in wheat in the best of order, and the women entered the house with well filled baskets and prepared a bountiful supper of which all partook heartily and with much good will. Mrs. K. was the recipient of some nice presents. Altogether it was a very enjoyable affair and a great help to a worthy citizen. Mr. and Mrs. K. wish to return their thanks and good wishes to all.

Quite a large congregation assembled at the Christian Chapel on Lord's day evening to hear the Pastor lecture on the interesting subject of matrimony. For particulars enquire of those present. He will lecture on the same subject on the evening of September 30th. Every one should come. Theme—How to choose a wife.

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"Lynn Harbor Bay" oysters at Jacoby's on Saturday.

THE JERSEYTOWN TRAGEDY.

A Prosperous Farmer Murders his Wife, and then Cuts his own Throat.

On the 22nd of February 1883, there was a happy gathering at the house of Conrad Kreamer at Jerseytown, the occasion being the marriage of his daughter Maggie to William M. Runyan, a young man of excellent character and industrious habits. It was considered a good match on both sides, and when the young couple settled down to house keeping on a farm about two miles from Jerseytown, it looked as though a long life of happiness and prosperity was before them. If there were any misunderstandings between them, they were carefully concealed from the outside world. They had a comfortable home, a good farm well stocked, and everything to make life pleasant. For these reasons their terrible fate was all the greater shock to their friends. On Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 5th., Mr. and Mrs. Runyan were in the village of Jerseytown, and made some purchases at her father's store. Friends who saw them that day, say that both seemed in excellent spirits. If the husband then had in contemplation the horrible deed that he was about to commit, he did not betray it by word or action. They drove home that evening, and here the curtain falls. No living being can describe what took place that night, and the account must be supplied by the imagination. They were never seen alive again. The house stands in an isolated place, and as this is a busy time with farmers, nothing was thought of their not coming to the village. It was observed, however, that the house was closed, and some of the stock left in the field over night, a practice not common with Runyan. On Thursday afternoon of last week some children passed the house and observed an offensive odor proceeding therefrom. They informed their parents, and on going to the house a ladder was procured and placed to a second-story window, when the bodies of Runyan and his wife were found on the bed, in an advanced stage of decomposition. The stench was so great that it was almost impossible to enter the room. An alarm was given, and soon a large crowd gathered at the scene of the tragedy. An examination showed that the throats of both were cut, and the razor with which the deed was done was found on the bed. Circumstances point out clearly that Mrs. Runyan was murdered by her husband, and that he then committed suicide, and that it was done on the night of Wednesday, the 5th, the day they were last seen. She had on her night dress, the sleeves of which were torn out, and her arm was cut in several places, showing that she had fought hard for her life. It is supposed that she was asleep when he cut her throat, and that the struggle took place afterwards. When found she was partially reclining in bed with her head bent down on her breast and he was lying by her side on his face with his left foot on the floor. He had on his pants and shirt and his feet were covered with blood. The bed was soaked with blood, which had oozed through the bedding and formed a large pool on the floor. There was blood on the carpet in other parts of the room, and it looked as though he had waded through blood after cutting his wife's throat. The bodies were in such a state that nothing could be done with them, and they were not touched until Saturday morning when they were rolled in the bed clothes and placed in their coffins, and taken at once to the burial ground, followed by an immense concourse of people.

The deed was undoubtedly committed on Wednesday night, as the goods which they had purchased on that day were found on a table down stairs, and a kettle which they had borrowed on the way home was found in the wagon. A brother of Mrs. Runyan took some things to their house the next day, Thursday, and finding everything, locked up, left them standing on the porch, not dreaming of the horrible condition of things inside. He supposed they were away from home. These things were found on the porch where he left them. Two calves were found in the stable, one dead from starvation, and the other nearly so. The other stock was out in the field.

If there was any suspicion of foul play it was dispelled by the fact that all the windows and doors were fastened on the inside, and the following note was found pinned to Runyan's vest:

"Maggie proposes and I act. Give her watch to Annie and mine to Howard, Good bye."

What prompted the husband to do the act will never be known. The terrible death struggle that took place in that room, when with a murderous weapon in hand the man let out the life blood of the woman he had promised to love and protect, can never be portrayed. Those who are charitably inclined ascribe the deed to insanity. Whatever it may have been, the sorrow of the friends of the deceased at their untimely and unnatural end, coupled as it was with circumstances so terrible and revolting, can only be soothed by the great healer, Time. Words of solace are utterly inadequate.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Shirts, cuffs and collars, neckties, and all kinds of goods for gents' wear, at Evans & Eyer's.

Go to C. C. Marr's for floor and table oil cloth.

Do not forget that Lutz & Sloan have the best and the cheapest black dress silks in the county.

Men's heavy boots, best in town for the price. At W. J. Kendig's.

Full line of Columbia yarns, the best in the world, full 16 ounces to the pound. They have no equal, and are the only Germantown yarns having full 2 ounces to the hank—Clark & Son.

Lutz & Sloan have a full line of prints, muslins, canton flannels and wool flannels very cheap.

Another lot of all wool Ottomen dress cloths at Lutz & Sloan's. Also an all wool goods 40 inches wide very handsome for 75 cts., a yard.

Go to C. C. Marr's for shawls.

We will sell you one case of the best standard prints at 5 cts. per yard, Clark & Son.

Children's and misses' shoes at Kendig's, Evans' Block. Low prices and good goods.

Our best styles of prints at 6 cents per yard, and good one-yard muslins at 6 and 7 cents per yard, Canton flannels 8 cents and up—hard to beat. Well, now that 25 cent all-wool twilled red flannel will talk for itself, see it, and other flannels in proportion. Headquarters for the largest and cheapest stock of dry goods, notions, fancy goods, &c. To prove it come and see for yourselves—Clark & Son.

G. W. Bertsch, the merchant tailor is the place to get your nobby and most stylish hats and caps as he has just bought a fresh stock of the best, from the city for the fall and winter trade. Please give him a call and examine his full line of them before purchasing elsewhere, prices reasonable.

If you want bargains in fine ladies' shoes call at W. J. Kendig's, Evans' block.

C. C. Marr, just in, more new goods prints, ginghams, cotton and wool flannels, cashmeres mohairs, cloth for dresses, red and blue, sacking, basket cloths very cheap.

If you want the most stylish and noblest things in neck ties or furnishing goods in general don't fail to see G. W. Bertsch's fresh stock of them just received from the city. Call and see them and be convinced for yourself.

W. J. Kendig can give you a good fit in Gents' shoes or boots very cheap.

Go to C. C. Marr for quilts and blankets.

A full line of ready-made clothing, gents' furnishing goods, valises, &c., at Evans & Eyer's.

Elegant parlor suits, chamber sets, and all kinds of furniture at Cadman's

Call at W. J. Kendig's, Evans' Block before buying boots and shoes.

J. S. Reitz has for sale the enterprise meat chopping machine. Just the thing for every farmer. Cuts 3 lbs a minute. For the small sum of $6. At big meat parlors a few doors below Market St.

Our stock of silk velvets and plushes is now complete in black and all the leading colors—Clark & Son.

The cheapest store is C. C. Marr.

Don't fail to see the finest and nobbyiest line of cloth, cassimeres and overcoating for fall and winter just received fresh from the city, at G. W. Bertsch's bazar of fashions, now ready for inspection. Don't forget to give him a call before purchasing elsewhere. A fit always guaranteed.

The best black and colored dress silks for the money, in the county, at Clark & Son's.

Red and garnet cotton flannels, at C. C. Marr's.

J. S. Reitz keeps a full stock of Sausage, Bologna, Scrapple and all kinds meat, at low prices for cash. Just below Market St.

People attending court can get meals at all hours at B. Stohner's. Oysters served in every style, also by the quart or hundred. 4 w

For good cheap furniture, go to Cadman's.

Nobby suits made to order at Evans & Eyer's, by first-class workmen. Prices very reasonable.

Go to Sharpless' foundry for the best ranges, cook stoves &c. in the market, also plow points, harder than steel for Montrose, White, Danville, Advance, Gale, South Bend, Waird &c, &c. 3t

Go to C. C. Marr for quilts and blankets very cheap.

Black and colored dress silks cheaper than ever. Having purchased a large lot of dress silks from a large importing house going out of business, we are enabled to offer some good bargains in above goods—H. J. Clark & Son.

Fine groceries, notions, canned goods, at J. B. Skeer's.

Pictures, frames, window cornices, at Cadman's.

Thermometers, from 25 cents to $3.50 at the COLUMBIAN store. tf

9999½ spring chickens.
9999½ old hens, geese and ducks.
9999½ good live calves.
9999½ lbs. raspberries.
9999½ " pitted cherries.
All the above wanted at Light Street, by Silas Young.
August 3-6m

Why pay 7 and 8 cents for calico when you can buy as good for 6 cents of H. J. Clark & Son.

C. C. Marr wants butter, eggs lard and chickens.

MIFFLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Board of Directors of Mifflin School District intend to apply to the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county, on the fourth Monday of September next, for a decree authorizing them to borrow money by issuing bonds for the purpose of erecting a school house in the village of Mifflinville, in said Mifflin School District.
JACOB BITTENBENDER, Prest.
8-24-4w A. C. MILLARD, Sec'y.

C. C. Marr wants butter, eggs, lard, shoulder, ham, chickens, oats and onions.

This is to certify that L. E. Whary is the sole authorized agent for Bloomsburg, for the Reading Stove Works, of Orr, Painter & Co., and is the only dealer that can give a guarantee on our work on stoves, heaters or furnaces.
9-7-3w ORR, PAINTER & CO.

Go to C. C. Marr's for splendid boots and shoes at the lowest price.

Remember that Lutz & Sloan have a large stock of dress silks cheap.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Wadley, Ga.—Dr. H. L. Battle, Jr., says: "Brown's Iron Bitters are very popular in this section and give entire satisfacton."i

A pure strengthening tonic, free from whiskey and alcohol, cures dyspepsia and similar diseases. It has never been equaled. Brown's Iron Bitters.

EVERYBODY KNOWS IT.

When you have the Itch, Salt Rheum, Galls, or Skin Eruptions of any kind, and the Piles, that you know without being told of it. C. A. Klein, the druggist, will sell you Dr. Bosanko's Pile Remedy for 50 cents, which affords immediate relief, and is a sure cure for either of the above diseases. July 6-eow

OUR REGARDS.

We are glad to say that our daughter, who has been afflicted with Rheumatism for about eight years, is nearly cured from the use of two bottles of Phelps' Rheumatic Elixir. We regard it as an excellent remedy, and anticipate a perfect cure by the time another bottle is taken.
Respectfully, MR. AND MRS. STAVE,
188 Freemont street, Chicago, Ill.
For sale at Hendershott's Pharmacy.

GOV. HOYT'S ENDORSEMENT.

Executive Chamber,
Harrisburg, Pa., June 7 1882.

Mr. John H. Phelps, Scranton, Pa., My Dear Sir:—Promptly upon receipt of your Elixir, ten days since, I entered upon its use according to directions, stopping my Iodid Potass., Ammon. and Wine of Colchicum. At that time I was completely disabled with gout in both feet and rheumatism in both knees, and helpless. Now I comfortably hobble about the house, and expect to be out in a week. It may be a coincidence, my amendment and the use of your medicine. I hope for no occasion to try it again, but if need be I will try it again in a fresh attack with great confidence.
Very truly yours, HENRY M. HOYT,
Governor of Pennsylvania.
For sale at Hendershott's Pharmacy, Bloomsburg, Pa.

WORTH KNOWING.

N. J. Hendershott desires all who are afflicted with Rheumatism in any form to call at his drug store and receive valuable information. Come one, come all, of whatever nation, sex or color.

New in store a large line of ladies' cloaks, dolmans, paletots, stockinet Jerseys. No old garments carried over, all new this season, and a large line of children's coats and haverlocks with a large line of cloths and plushes to make up, and ladies' 6-4 dress flannels. The above and a complete line of silks, cashmers and other dress goods to be found at the store of Clark & Son.

When symptoms of malaria appear in any form, take Ayer's Ague Cure at once, to prevent the development of the disease, and continue until health is restored, as it surely will be by the use of this remedy. A sure cure is warranted in every instance.

Sheboygan, Wis.—Dr. S. B. Myers, says: "I recommend Brown Iron Bitters for general debility, loss of appetite and want of strength.

Centre Notes.

Jack Frost has paid us several visits damaging the corn, buckwheat and garden truck.

The picnic season is over. Next come the balls and tea parties. Boys, if I start will you follow?

G. S. Fleckenstine of Orangeville drove out in Centre on Sunday with a new carriage. He says it rides splendidly.

J. S. Hagenbuch has the boss colt for the age. If you don't believe it come and see. "Jake" will charge you nothing.

Some of the young folks who attended the festival Saturday evening held at Espy report a good time. The next will be at Orangeville.

The hunting match between the Summer Hill and Fowlersville parties which took place on Saturday last was a success. As three of the Fowlersville boys did not hunt the Summer Hill party was victorious. Bruce Freas wears the belt as being the champion hunter that day. Ten hunted from Fowlersville against thirteen from Summer Hill. The latter was ahead 325.

Wm. Fowler and Daniel Bahme spent Saturday and Sunday in Berwick.

ESTRE NOUS.

AMERICAN INSTITUTE ON PURE GRAPE WINE.

The President and a Committee from the Farmer's Club of the American Institute, have visited Speer's Vineyards and Wine Cellars, and they report that the Port Grape Wine of Alfred Speer, of Passaic, New Jersey, is the most reliable wine to be obtained. It is now being used by Physicians who are the most choice in the selection of wines for convalescent patients. The principal hospitals in New York have adopted this wine. It is for sale by C. A. Klein.

MY WIFE'S NERVOUS AFFECTION.

"We had ceased to hope that my wife's nervous affection could be cured," writes Rev. J. A. Edie, of Beaver, Pa. "Many physicians failed to do her good, but *Samaritan Nervine* has cured her." At druggists.

See a woman in another column, near Speer's Vineyards, picking grapes from which Speer's Port Grape Wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession, for the use of invalids, weakly persons and the aged.
Sold by Druggists.
sept 22-1y
Wolcott, N. Y.

Nathan Knapp says:
Gents—I have been troubled with rheumatism for several years to such a degree that I found it impossible to attend to my business, which is that of foundryman, and have been confined to the house and to my bed much of the time. Have tried all sorts of remedies, and have been treated by several doctors, all to no purpose, until I finally heard of your Rheumatic Syrup, and was induced to try it, and I am very happy to say, after the use of a few bottles, I am as strong and well as ever, and never feel a symptom of anything like rheumatism any more. I can cheerfully recommend your Rheumatic Syrup to all who are afflicted with rheumatism, for it is certainly a most invaluable remedy, and too much cannot be said in its praise.

MARKET REPORTS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKET.

Wheat per bushel	$1.05
Rye "	.70
Corn, " "	.65
Oats, " "	.32
Flour per barrel	5.50
Cloverseed	
Butter	.22
Eggs	.20
Tallow	.06
Potatoes	.40
Dried Apples	.06
Hams	14
Sides & Shoulders	11
Chickens	12
Turkeys	.15
Lard per pound	.14
Hay per ton	8 00
Beeswax	.25
Buckwheat flower per 100	2.00

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS.

FLOUR—Flour is in light request at unchanged prices; sales of 1,200 barrels, including Minnesota extras at $5.50 a 6.50; Pennsylvania family $5 @5.25 western do $5.50@6.00; patents $6.25@7.50.

RYE FLOUR—Is dull at $4 75 per barrel.

WHEAT—Market is in fair request and firmer; car lots $1 10@1 17; $1 13 ¾ bid for September; $1 15 for October; $1 17¼ for November; $1 19 for December.

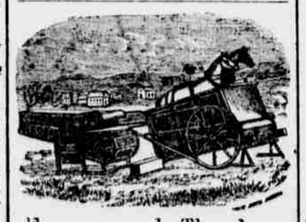
CORN—Market was firmer, but quiet; car lots 61@66; 60¾ bid for September; 59½c for October; 59¾c for November; 58 for December.

OATS—Is in fair demand and firm; car lots 32@36; 35c bid for September; 35½c for October; 36¾c for November; 37¾c for December.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF GEORGE CRAIG, LATE OF ROARINGCREEK TOWNSHIP DECEASED.

Letters of administration in the estate of George Craig, late of Roaringcreek township, Columbia county Pa., deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to George F. Craig. Administrator. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the same to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.
GEORGE F. CRAIG,
Millgrove, Columbia co., Pa. Administrator.
Sept. 14th-6w RHAWN & ROBBINS, Att'y's.



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wishing to purchase first-class articles of

THRESHERS AND SEPARATORS,

ALSO,

One and Two-Horse Tread Powers,

with Threshers and Shakers, will do well to call on or address J. M. HULSHIZER,
Light Street, Columbia county, Pa.
☞ All work warranted. Send for price list and give me a trial. No better machines are manufactured for this section of the country.
July 20-3m

INCURABLES NO LONGER in Bright's disease, diabetes, dropsy, gravel, stone, discharges, spermatorrhœa, strictures, varicocele, diseased prostate gland, impotence, sore throat, catarrh, consumption, dizziness, biliousness, malaria, indigestion, headache, costiveness, neuralgia, rheumatism, skin eruptions, blood poison, ulcers, liver, heart, bladder and kidney diseases. A medical book mailed free, giving directions for their prevention and cure without poisons, nauseous medicines, pain or confinement, by the European and American Medical Bureau specialty physicians' internal and local perfected treatment prescriptions, of the Exalted Mineral Spring Water, at 1,195 Broadway, New York. Sept. 14th-4w

Ladies and Gentlemen wanted to introduce HOUSEWIFE'S LIBRARY! An original and thorough treatment of essential home topics, comprising (Many Volumes in one.) Domestic Cookery over 1,000 recipes, Home Furnishing and Management, Interior and Exterior Decorations, Toilet Department, Games, Amusements, Emergencies, Care of Children, Accidents and general hints on many subjects of vital interest to home and its happiness. Beautifully illustrated. A royal good and useful book. Very cheap. Will sell immensely. Write for full particulars.
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Sept. 21-4w d

75,000 SOLD! AGENTS Wanted: The immediate and immense popularity of "TREASURY OF SONG" is owing to its being verily a grand treasury of the best-loved gems of song. 500 pages, 300 pieces, such as "Suwanee River", "O Rest in the Lord," "Rock thee, My Baby," etc., etc., which in sheet music would cost nearly $100; in this elegant volume only $2.50. Eminent critics, such as Patti, Nilsson, Whitney, Thomas, Thursby, and others say it is: "A perfect marvel of excellence" "It's full of genuine Gems, and should be in every home." No book like it; No competition. Demand is brisk Agents are coining money. For terms and particulars address
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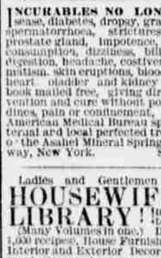
Sept. 21-4w d



WORTH SENDING FOR!

Dr. J. H. SCHENCK has just published a book on

DISEASES OF THE LUNGS AND HOW TO CURE THEM

which is offered FREE, postpaid to all applicants. It contains valuable information for all who suppose themselves afflicted with, or liable to any disease of the throat or lungs. Mention this paper. Address Dr. J. H. SCHENCK & SON, Philadelphia, Pa. (Name if you wish English or German Book.)
Sept. 21-2w d

Rheumatic SYRUP.

The Greatest Blood Purifier Known!

Rheumatism Cured.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Apr. 6th, '83.
Rheumatic Syrup Co.:
GENTS—I have been a great sufferer from Rheumatism for six years, and hearing of the success of Rheumatic Syrup I concluded to give it a trial in my own case, and I cheerfully say that I have been greatly benefitted by its use. I can walk with entire freedom from pain, and my general health is very much improved. It is a splendid remedy for the blood and debilitated system.
E. CHESTER PARK, M. D.

Scrofula Cured.

PORT BYRON, N. Y., Feb. 20, '82.
Rheumatic Syrup Co.:
I had been doctoring for three or four years, with different physicians, for scrofula, as some called it, but found no relief until I commenced taking your syrup. After taking it a short time, to my surprise, it began to help me. Continuing its use a few weeks, I found myself as well as ever. As a blood purifier, I think it has no equal.
MRS. WILLIAM STRANG.

Neuralgia Cured.

FAIRPORT, N. Y., March 14, '83.
Rheumatic Syrup Co.:
GENTS—Since November, 1882, I have been a constant sufferer from neuralgia and have not known what it was to be free from pain until I commenced the use of Rheumatic Syrup. I have not had pain since using the fourth bottle. I think it is the best remedy I have ever heard of for purifying the blood and for the cure of rheumatism and neuralgia.
W. B. CHASE.

Manufactured by RHEUMATIC SYRUP CO., 1 Plymouth Ave., Rochester, N. Y.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in the court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, and will be presented to the said Court on the fourth Monday of September, 1883, and confirmed after the fourth day of said term unless exceptions be filed within that time.

1. The account of Joseph Crawford, Committee of the person and estate of Peter Melick, a lunatic.
2. Final account of Samuel C. Jayne, assignee of A. W. Dickson.
3. First and final account of Clinton Ellis, Committee of Clark P. Harder, a lunatic.

WM. KRICKBAUM,
Bloomsburg, Aug. 24, '83. Prothy.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JAMES M'MAHAN, DECEASED.

Letters of administration in the estate of James McMahan, late of Mt. Pleasant township, Columbia county, Pa., deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to John J. Wolf. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the same to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.
WM. CHRISMAN

Maid of the Mist.

The following is an account of the voyage down the rapids last week :

The largest crowd that has ever assembled at Niagara falls was present to witness the much talked of experiment of sending a fac simile of the famous "Maid of the Mist" on a trip through the same angry waters and turbulent currents of the rapids which the original made in safety twenty years ago.

The interest felt in this test was shown by the fact that over 50,000 persons were congregated along the banks of the river, every available point of sight being thronged by eager spectators. The new "Maid" is fifty two feet long, sixteen feet beam, eight feet hold and only draws a foot of water. She has a tall smokestack, two masts, fore and aft, rigged with flags ; a green colored rail encircled the deck, on the forepart of which was the wheelhouse, in which stood a figure with the face of King William of Germany, wearing a black silk skull cap tied on with a band of scarlet, check shirt, dark pants, held by a long strap of leather around the waist, and high boots. This figure was lashed to the wheel. The "Maid" was well built, but not of very extraordinary strength. The original idea of simply having her name, "The Maid of the Mist," painted on her paddle boxes was departed from, and the advertisement of a gargling oil was painted in large sized letters. This caused a great deal of dissatisfaction among the eight partners in the undertaking, one of whom, O. G. Hertzog, is a Campbellite minister and a friend of Garfield. He was the originator of the scheme.

At 3:40 the craft was towed out from her moorings above the old "Maid of the Mist" landing by men in a couple of boats, and five minutes were set adrift. She floated rapidly down the current. Veering over to the shore and turning across the stream, she drifted very close to a rock just above the old suspension bridge, but escaping it by a foot only, was hurried under the bridge and swept into the first rapids. She was stern foremost and rose high on the top of the first big mountain of water. She kept an even keel to the next big wave, when she was whirled around and shot forward at a tremendous pace. She continued with her bow in front for a short distance, when she slowly turned as she was being carried with great swiftness along the rushing torrent. When half way through the rapids she was going stern first, keeping this position all the way into what is known as the whirlpool. Here she was carried over towards the Canadian shore, making five complete turns in the eddies of the big pool. When about five rods from the shore she came to a dead stop, as though anchored. After remaining in this position for about a minute, she was slowly carried, bow forward, to the Canada shore, where several persons got aboard. These soon landed and pushed her off again.

She sluggishly drifted to the outlet of the whirlpool, going towards Lewiston and passing into the current close to the Canadian side, swept gracefully and steadily down, breasting the lower rapids without any trouble. She continued on her course, undisturbed, arriving at Lewiston where she was secured and found to be in almost the same condition as when she was started. The time she made from the start to the first rapid was eight minutes, thence to the neck of the whirlpool two and a half minutes, it was seventeen minutes after the start when she struck the Canada shore. Passing Butterie's elevator she went at the rate of twenty miles an hour. The average time was fifteen miles an hour.

Before she started a large cigar sign of Punch, lashed to a large, flat packing box, was sent through the rapids, and beyond being turned over several times it got through all right. A dummy was thrown from the railroad bridge into the river and being mistaken for a man caused much excitement. It disappeared in the rapids. A patent medicine raft was also sent through, but was badly demoralized in the transit. Thelario Balsatt, the young French swimmer, has written a private letter to a correspondent assuring him that he will make the attempt to swim the rapids.

"Self-Made Men."

During the past few days there has been a good deal of comment written about John Roach and Jay Gould being "self-made men" These gentlemen have been telling the Senate sub-Committe on Labor and Education about the early years of their poverty, and how they gradually rose to affluence and power. It seems to be assumed by a great many people that the fact that these men were once poor makes amends for the inordinate amount of riches which they have obtained by questionable methods and disreputable bargains.

What is it makes a "self-made man" a superior character to anybody else we have never been able to understand.

The fact that a man is poor and in distress, and yet feels that he has something within him capable of better things, is simply a stimulus to him to be shrewd, energetic, careful and diligent. He is animated solely by the selfish motive of bettering his own condition. This is always commendable, but it is not remarkable. A man deserves no particular credit for it.

We hold that the man more deserving of credit is the one who, born to wealth and luxury, is able to deny himself the pleasures of vicious indulgence and indolent recreation, and makes his life useful, not, alone to himself but to those around him. A poor young man is often kept in the paths of virtue and industry not because he is morally a whit better than others who are squandering themselves in dissipation, but simply because he has not the money or the opportunity to go astray. He would be likely to do the same as they if he had the chance.

There is no small amount of nonsense spouted in this country about our self-made men. Half of them are boors, hogs, misers, sharpers and rascals. Jay Gould is the fair sample of the rich man who has made himself. He has none of the small current vices ; in certain respects of his life he is what some worthy people would call a "model man;" and yet who has inflicted more ruin and blighted more lives than this great speculator, who from the day of his early manhood has been constantly figuring, watching, scheming, manipulating, calculating and accumulating. He has, indeed, been self-made—rather selfishly made.

It is no wonderful thing for a poor man to avail himself of honest opportunities to become rich or great, while it is despicable when he avails himself of dishonest opportunities. But the world is not in the habit of discriminating much as to the means employed, so long as the end is secured.— *Chronicle-Herald.*

Making Indian Tobacco.

Another cake of tobacco readily enlisted a red man to so show me how to prepare Indian tobacco. We went together down to the stream and cut a handful or two of red willow twigs, while the boy who was with us picked a handful of sumac leaves, and another of wire-grass. Thus provided, we returned to the lodge, and the ashes of a cedar charcoal fire being fanned into a red heat (with my hat, by-the-way, which one of Indians unceremoniously took off my head for the purpose), the process commenced. The outer red bark of the willow twigs was first of all peeled off and thrown aside—it is generally supposed that the Indians smoke this bark, but this is a mistake—and then the under yellow bark was peeled upward in strips, but left attached to the twig at one end. As each twig was peeled it was stuck into the ground at the edge of the fire (sloping slightly over the embers), and the strips of yellow under-bark hanging down gradually curled up with the heat, crinkling themselves in a kind of rosette round the top of the twig, when they had shrivelled up as tightly as they could do the twig was pulled up, and the crisp bark crumbled off between the hands on to a clean spot prepared for it "on the hearth." The result was the "kinnnikinic" of travelers, a pale yellow pile of stuff resembling "granulated" tobacco. Meanwhile the wire-grass had been roughly plaited into a little mat about the size of the palms of the two hands, and on this a layer of sumac leaves had been spread out. As soon as the latter began to wrinkle up with the heat they were turned over, and eventually, when they had ceased forming into blisters, and when, therefore, the moisture was all dried out, they were taken off and powdered between the hands, and the result mixed with the "kinnikinnic.

I was now informed that the tobacco was ready ; so, having cleaned my pipe as thoroughly as possible, and fastened my cigarette-holder over the mouthpiece, I filled Pukwana up to the muzzle with the Indian mixture, and smoked it. What was it like? Well, it was very like willow bark and sumac leaves, but not a bit like tobacco. It was neither narcotic or stimulant, but rather pleasant, mild and aromatic to the taste, giving out a profuse smoke of acrid smell.—PHIL ROBINSON, in *Harper's Magazine for October.*

Pickle for Curing Meat.

A large amount of beef, pork and mutton is lost to farmers every season by not being perfectly cured. Every year a large number of recipes are published in agricultural papers for curing meat, some of which are valuable. Some thirty years ago the Germantown *Telegraph* published a recipe that was tried by a large number of people and highly commended. The next year it was republished with like results, whereupon the paper fell into the habit of publishing it every season, and it claims that no person has ever tried it for curing beef, pork, mutton, tongue, or hams and ever afterward cured meat in any other manner with satisfaction to himself. The following is a reprint of the famous recipe :

To one gallon of water take one and a half pounds of salt, one-half pound of sugar, one-half ounce saltpetre, one-half ounce potash. Use only a pure article of potash ; if this cannot be obtained, omit it altogether. In this ratio the pickle can be increased to any quantity desired. Let these be boiled together until all the dirt from the sugar rises to the top and is skimmed off. Then throw it into a tub to cool, and when cold, pour it over your beef or pork. The meat must be well covered with pickle, and should not be put down for at least two days, after killing, during which time it should be slightly sprinkled with powdered saltpeter which removes all surface blood, etc., leaving the meat fresh and clean. Some omit boiling the pickle, and find it to answer well, though the operation of boiling purifies the pickle by throwing off the dirt always to be found in salt and sugar. If this recipe is strictly followed, it will require a single trial to prove its superiority over the common way, or most ways, of putting down meat, and will not soon be abandoned for any other. The meat is unsurpassed for sweetness, delicacy and freshness of color.

Bone Manure for Pasture.

An English Paper in commenting upon the subject, remarks that the Cheshire dairy farmer, by the free use of bone manure laid on the grass lands, makes his farm, which at one time, before the application of bone manure fed only twenty head of cows, now feeds forty. In Cheshire two-thirds or more generally three fourths, of a dairy farm are kept in perfect pasture, the remainder in tillage. Its dairy farmers are commonly bound to lay the whole of their manure not on the arable, but the grass land, purchasing what may be necessary for the arable. The chief improvement besides drainage consists in the application of bone manure. In the milk of each cow, in its urine in its manure, in the bones of each calf reared and sold off, a farm parts with as much earthy phosphates of lime as is contained in half a hundred weight of bone dust. Hence the advantage of returning this mineral manure by boning grass lands. The quantity of bones now commonly given in Cheshire to an imperial acre of grass land is 1000 to 1500 weight. This dressing on pasture land will last seven or eight years, but on mowed land about half of that period.

NAILS IN HORSES' FEET.—A Montreal company has three hundred horses in its employ. In connection with the establishment is a department known as the hospital, where are kept all the horses that have been disabled to such an extent as to need treatment from a veterinary surgeon. Since the 1st of April the company have had forty four serious cases in which the animals have been laid up from one week to two months each, besides about fifty less serious ones that have probably only required a few nights' rest and the application of poultices. The company's experience is that many of the worst cases arise from injuries to the horses' feet, caused by nails upon which they tread in the street. The presence of the nails is attributed to the habit that prevails among many of the janitors and others in mercantile establishments, of burning the old broken boxes which have been used in the shipment of goods, etc., and then throwing the ashes, including the nails which have hitherto held the boxes together in the streets.

A reporter who had just done his first boat race was rebuked by the city editor for not mentioning anywhere that the oarsman "took water," and replied that none of them took water. They all took gin.—[*Boston Transcript.*

A Reliable Man Wanted.

"A reliable man wanted to take charge of a farm"—"A reliable man wanted in a counting-house"—"A reliable man wanted to superintend a mill." What a demand there is for reliable men! Young women want them for husbands, fathers and mothers want them for sons-in-law. People in trouble inquire anxiously for a reliable lawyer whom they can consult the sick want a reliable physician, the churches want a reliable man for a minister, although they do not advertise their wants in a newspaper.

There seems to be no end to the demand for reliable men. Are reliable men so scarce that so much point is made of getting them ?

We apprehend that they are not as plenty as they should be. Reliable architects and contractors and engineers are not to be found in every place, or there would not be so many railway and bridge accidents. Cashiers and bank officers are not always reliable or there would be no defalcations. The same may be said of trustees or insurance officers. In truth, reliable men do not crowd one another in any class or occupation.

Young man, it is for you to determine whether you will be a reliable man or not. It depends upon yourself. Nothing is easier, only resolve that you will be a reliable man and stick to it through every temptation.

A Philadelphia man thinks he has discovered a reliable substitute for lager beer. He means to deoxidize Limburger cheese, extract the powerful essence, and then bottle the latter to use as smelling salts. Every time a man feels like taking a glass of beer all that will be necessary to cure the craving and make him feel as if he were in a German saloon is to take one sniff at the essence bottle.

Out West the cellar is the place to go in time of a cyclone, and when a man has a barrel of cider in the cellar, it's surprising how many times a day he thinks there's a cyclone coming.

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"And at last was cured by this Hop Bitters the papers say so much about."

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"Eleven years our daughter suffered on a bed of misery,

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"Under the care of the best physicians,

"Who gave her disease various names,

"But no relief,

"And now she is restored to us in good health by as simple a remedy as Hop Bitters, that we had shunned for years before using it."—THE PARENTS.

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Put a Brand on Him.

"Women are a necessary evil," he said, bringing down his fist hard on the counter to emphasize the heartless remark. It was in the village store at West Milton, Saratoga County, and the speaker was the central figure of a group of bucolic philosophers. He was homely, slovenly and sixty.

"There's where I differ from you altogether," said Mr. George T. Graham, of the same place. "Women are mostly what men make 'em. When husbands are brutes wives will fall into submission or make home hot for the men ; and they're unnatural in either character. Love them, and especially be good to them when they're sick, and you'll have no trouble. "There's my wife, now, she's suffered a good deal with dyspepsia, nervous prostration and other ailments that took the bloom off her cheeks and the spring out of her steps. Well, she saw an advertisement of PARKER'S TONIC and thought it would be just the thing for her case. Gentlemen, I sent five miles after a bottle. She took it. I sent again after more. So several times. Trouble ? why, if you could see how much good it has done her you would say that women are the greatest of God's blessings, and PARKER'S TONIC is the next."

This preparation, which has been known as PARKER'S GINGER TONIC, will hereafter be called simply PARKER'S TONIC. This change has been rendered necessary by substitutes imposed upon their customers by unprincipled dealers under the name of ginger ; and as ginger is really an unimportant flavoring ingredient, we drop the misleading word.

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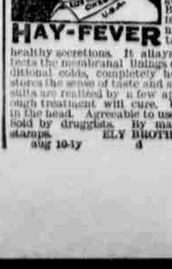

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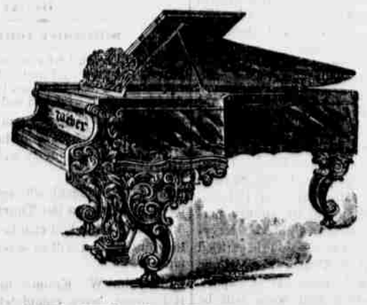

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TIME TABLE.

In effect May 14th, 1883. Trains leave Sunbury.

EASTWARD,

9.35 a. m.—Sea Shore Express for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, Lancaster, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington, arriving at Philadelphia 3.15 p. m.; New York, 6.30 p. m.; Baltimore, 5.05 p. m.; Washington 6.40 p. m., making close connections at Philadelphia for all sea shore points.

1.55 p. m.—Day express for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, Lancaster, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington, arriving at Philadelphia 7.35 p. m.; New York, 10.25 p. m.; Baltimore, 7.15 p. m.; Washington, 8.40 p. m. Pullman Parlor car through to Philadelphia and passenger coaches through to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

8.20 p. m.—Williamsport Accommodation for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, Lancaster, Philadelphia and New York, arriving at Philadelphia 6.35 a. m.; New York 6.20 a. m. Sleeping car accommodations can be secured at Harrisburg for Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

2.05 a. m.—Erie Mail for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, Lancaster, Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington, arriving at Philadelphia 1.50 a. m.; New York, 11.20 a. m.; Baltimore 7.40 a. m.; Washington, 9.10 a. m. Through Pullman sleeping cars are run on this train to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and through passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

WESTWARD,

6.25 a. m.—Erie Mail for Erie and all intermediate stations with through Pullman Palace car and through passenger coaches to Erie, and through Pullman Palace cars to Buffalo via Emporium.

For Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with through Pullman Palace car to Canandaigua and through passenger coaches to Rochester.

1.05 p. m.—Niagara Express for Kane and intermediate stations with through passenger coaches to Kane. For Canandaigua and principal intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls with through parlor car to Watkins and through passenger coaches to Rochester.

5.35 p. m.—Fast line for Lock Haven and intermediate stations, and Elmira, Watkins and intermediate stations, with through passenger coaches to Lock Haven and Watkins.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia, 7.40 a. m.; Baltimore 7.50 a. m., arriving at Sunbury, 1.05 p. m., with through Pullman Parlor car from Philadelphia and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Fast Line leaves New York 8.00 a. m.; Philadelphia, 11.05 a. m.; Washington, 9.30 a. m.; Baltimore, 10.45 a. m., arriving at Sunbury, 5.30 p. m., with through passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Erie Mail leaves New York 8.00 p. m.; Philadelphia, 11.20 p. m.; Washington, 9.50 p. m.; Baltimore, 11.15 p. m., arriving at Sunbury, 6.30 a. m., with through Pullman Palace sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia.

SUNBY. HAZLETON & WILKES-BARRE RAILROAD NORTH & WEST BRANCH RAILWAY.

Mail East leaves Sunbury 6.45 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 7.41 a. m., Wilkes-barre 9 20 a. m.

Express East leaves Sunbury 5.35 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6.31 p. m., Wilkes-barre 8 10 p. m.

Mail West leaves Wilkes-barre 10.30 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 12.06 p. m., Sunbury 12.55 p. m.

Express West leaves Wilkes-barre 5.30 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 7.01 p. m., Sunbury 8.05 p. m.

CHAS. E. PUGH, Gen. Manager. J. R. WOOD, Gen. Passenger Agent.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING ROAD

ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

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TRAINS LEAVE RUPERT AS FOLLOWS (SUNDAY EXCEPTED.

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading, Pottsville Tamaqua, &c., 11,45 a. m;

For Catawissa, 11,45 a. m. 6.13 and 10.30 p. m.

For Williamsport, 6,36 11.45 a. m. and 4,06 p. m.

For Lewisburg and Sunbury, 4.06 p. m.

TRAINS FOR RUPERT LEAVE AS FOLLOWS, (SUNDAY EXCEPTED.)

Leave New York, via. Tamanend 9,00 a. m. and via. Bound Brook Route 7,45 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia, 9,50 a. m.

Leave Reading, 11,55 a. m., Pottsville, 12,35 p. m and Tamaqua, 1,35 p. m.

Leave Catawissa, 6,30 11.05 a. m. and 4,00 p. m.

Leave Williamsport, 9,45 a.m, 4.05 p. m. and 6.00 p. m

Leave Sunbury 4.30 p. m.

" Lewisburg 4.45 p. m.

Passengers to and from New York, via. Tamanend and to and from Philadelphia go through without change of cars.

J. E. WOOTTEN, General Manager.

C. G. HANCOCK, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

Jan. 10, 1883—tf.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

NORTH.			STATIONS.	SOUTH		
p.m.	p.m.	a.m.		a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
9 15	2 45	9 45	.....Scranton.....	9 30	2 10	6 17
9 09			.....Bellevue.....			6 22
9 03		9 37	.....Taylorville..	9 45	2 26	6 27
8 56		9 30	..Lackawanna...	9 52	2 27	6 34
8 48		9 24	..... Pittston....	9 58	2 34	6 41
8 42		9 18	..West Pittston	10 03	2 39	6 46
8 37		9 14	.....Wyoming....	10 08	2 44	6 51
			.....Maltby.....			6 55
			.....Bennett.....			6 58
8 25	00	9 04	.....Edgerton....	10 18	2 54	7 08
8 25	1 50	9 04	.....Kingston....	10 18	2 54	7 10
	1 42		..Plymouth June			7 17
8 16	1 35	8 55	....Plymouth..	10 26	3 02	7 22
	1 25		.....Avondale....		3 06	7 26
8 07	1 18	8 47	.....Nanticoke..	10 34	3 10	7 37
8 00	1 03	8 39	Hunlock's Creek	10 42	3 18	8 00
7 46	12 43	8 25	...Shickshinny..	10 56	3 33	8 28
7 33	12 25	8 17	....Hicks Ferry..	11 07	3 45	8 40
7 26	12 15	8 12	.....Beach Haven.	11 18